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FROM:

Scott Johnson, Reclamation Engineer

RE:

Site Inspection, The Native Asphalt Company, Native #1

Project, S/047/036, Uintah County, Utah

On August 9, 1989, I stopped at the Native #1 Project. The contractor, Norm Massey, was on site loading trucks with the bituminous sandstone product. Since the ore is processed only during colder months, the crusher had been moved to a different location.

To accommodate the newly constructed roads, the stream that crosses the property has been diverted for approximately 150 yards through a 4 inch plastic pipeline. Although the pipeline appears to be adequate for the present flow, I'm not convinced this pipeline will handle any amount of storm runoff.

The stockpile pad has several gravel and bituminous sandstone piles. The total acreage of the stockpile pad is approximately 3 to 4 acres. The ore pit encompasses approximately 1 acre.

The disturbance is entirely on patented property. The state lands immediately north of the patented property in Township 5 North, Range 22 East, Section 31 have not been disturbed.

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cc: John Blake, State Lands
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